## **Department of Defense**

# Enterprise Architecture Congruence Community of Practice (DoD EAC CoP)

## **Close Out Briefing**

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## What We Were Asked to Do

- The DoD EAC CoP was formed as a temporar body in Oct 2003 upon the request of BMMP a Service representatives to address the followin issues:
  - Can the DoD EA be mapped to the FEA?
  - If so, what is the process for maintaining the mapping?
  - What process and policy implications are there?



## Why

- OMB requires proof of alignment of Dept/Agency Architectures with FEA;
- OMB requires alignment be shown in IT300 Exhibits for IT Investments;
- DoD Architectures do not align with FEA;
- DoD needed to figure out how to align;
- Alignment retains Executive authority over Do IT decision making.



## Who Contributed

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## What We Did

#### • The results:

- Determined it is feasible to align with the FEA RM;
- Organized the alignment around DoD Mission Area;
- Mapped alignment to FEA RMs
- Created and published a set of DoD EA RM proving the alignment in v.01-03;
- Developed a process for maintaining the DoD EA RM alignments based on work required to publish v.04;
- Made policy and process recommendations that improved EA section of IT 300 Exhibits;
- Developed policy recommendations;
- Published many related documents, e.g., Lessons Learned
- Posted results at: <a href="http://www.dod.mil/nii/">http://www.dod.mil/nii/</a> click on "Frequent Requested Links".



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## What Next?

- DoD EAC CoP has finished its work;
  - Recommend DoD EA Summit review and adopt recommended maintenance process;
  - Recommend DoD EA Summit review and adopt federated policy recommendations;
  - Recommend DoD EA Summit form and resource a organization to put reference models under configuration control;
  - Recommend DoD EA Summit form and resource a organization to make any revisions to the recommended maintenance policy and process.

